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## HUNDREDS ATTEND BOURLAND HOG SALE CONDUCTED FRIDAY

Baroness Cresco Brings Highest Price With Bid of \$8117.50—Average Paid Is \$82.62—Talks Made By Well-known Breeders—Point Out Profit To Be Gained From Industry.

Baroness Cresco, a 2 year old sow owned by A. M. Bourland and Marvin Sharp, sold for the highest bid Friday in the hog sale conducted by its owners at the Bourland farm, about four miles east of Vernon. Baroness Cresco was farrowed September 28, 1919, was bred to Transmission last fall and is of the Long Orange A and Cresco lady strain. The sow sold for \$8117.50 to L. H. Creager of this county.

Wonder Bess, a gilt, brought the lowest figure and sold for \$55 to E. B. Weddle of Ebleton. The average price paid during the sale was \$82.62. Twenty-one hogs were disposed of.

**Attendance Large.**  
An average of nearly 200 persons was in constant attendance during the hog sale, and a considerable larger number visited the big side barn during the afternoon. Lunch was served at noon to the visitors who were granted the freedom of the Bourland home.

Several talks were made before the sale commenced, and among these was one from S. E. Lewis of Childress, well-known hog breeder. Mr. Lewis informed those present that if there were four hogs on each of 2,000 Wilbarger county farms it would mean an income of \$200,000 annually, or meat for home consumption worth conservatively \$250,000.

**Mature More Quickly.**  
He commented upon the Bourland stock, and remarked that the Long Orange strain is one of the most noted in the country. The value of big boned hogs was also dwelt upon by the breeder who pointed out that this variety more quickly matures into a marketable product. Development of this sort, he said, is from two or four months earlier than in the small boned animals. This, then, means an appreciable saving in feed.

Less fat and more lean is now being demanded by the packers, said Mr. Lewis, and the big boned animals fill this requisite. Vegetable oils are taking the place of hard oils, and as a consequence the hog is sought after mainly for meat purposes.

Mr. Lewis stated that a year ago the supply of hogs was fifty-nine per cent below normal, and that it is even less now. There is a great opportunity in this branch of farming, he asserted.

**Points Out Profit.**  
H. S. Hibbarn of Plainview, who served as field man during the sale Friday, spoke of the advantages of pure bred hogs, and the profit they bring to farmers. He remarked that the blood lines in the sale were as excellent as any in the country.

Mr. Hibbarn is of the opinion that a great opportunity will be found in the hog business during the next two years. Prices, he said, should be high. The Atlantic and Pacific coasts, the speaker declared, have plowed up their fields in order to plant cotton and alfalfa, and are nearly exhausted in their supplies of hogs.

Mr. Hibbarn spoke briefly of the advantages to be found in the poultry industry. He also announced several coming fairs and livestock sales.

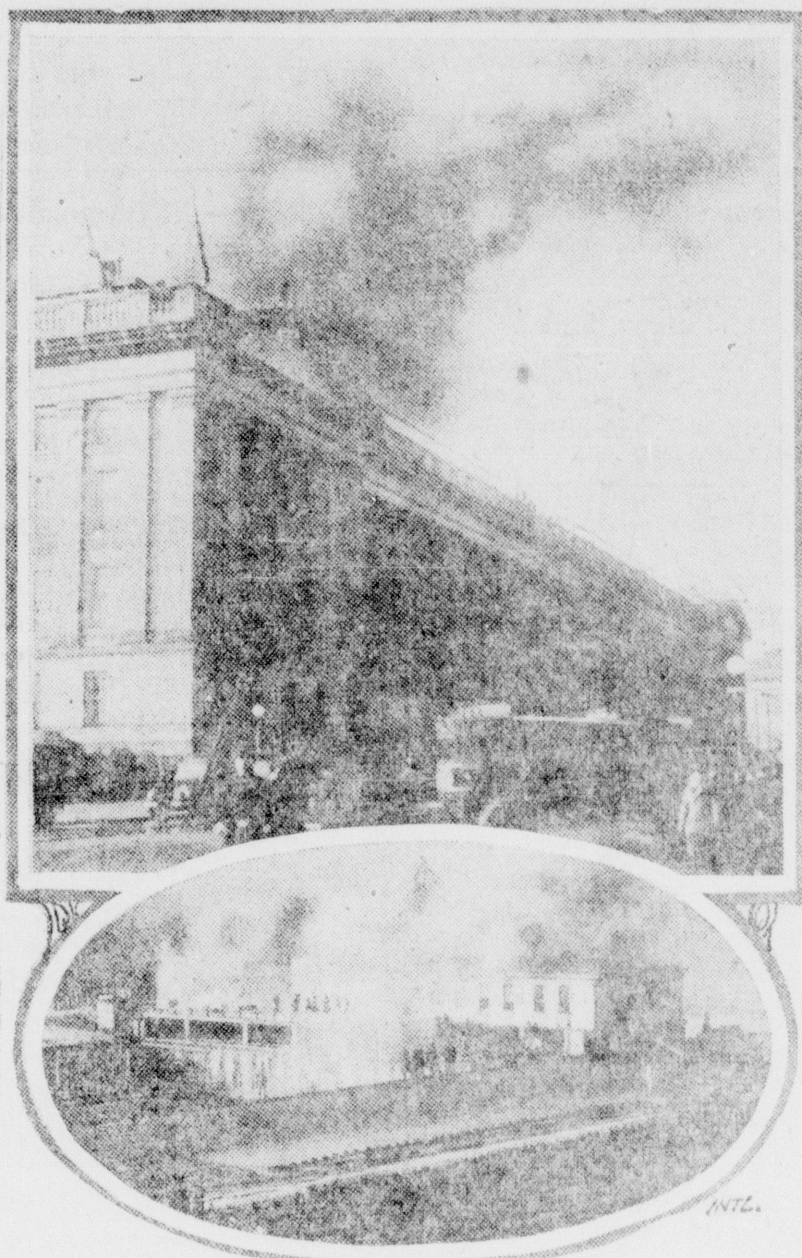
## WILBARGER RECORD BOOKS TO WASHINGTON, D. C.

Dr. C. B. Smith, of Washington, D. C., head of the State's Relation Service, took back to the nation's capital with him from Amarillo two year books belonging to Wilbarger county clubs. They were the property of the Fargo and Elliott women's clubs.

The government official was attracted to the records shown him by the Wilbarger home demonstration agent at the district conference in Amarillo, and asked immediately that he be given the books as a sample of good work.

**Red Cross Seeks More Funds.**  
The executive committee of the Wilbarger County Red Cross will meet to-day with city commissioners for the purpose of petitioning the governing body for more funds with which to conduct its work. The consultation will be conducted this afternoon.

## FIRE DAMAGES U. S. TREASURY BUILDING



When the Treasury Building at Washington caught fire the greater part of the district's fire apparatus came to fight the blaze. The fire broke out on the roof and is believed to have been started by a workman's torch. President Harding was among the first to be attracted by the blaze. He watched the firemen from the lawn in the rear of the White House.

## NO ACTION UNTIL FEE OWNERS SIGN

WEST VERNON PROJECT STILL  
UNDETERMINED—MUST  
ACT QUICKLY.

Two or three "holdouts" in the deal to recommence drilling on the West Vernon well are causing a great amount of anxiety on the part of those supporting the project. According to one representative of the company, action must be aroused by Wednesday as the agreement stipulates that drilling is to begin on that date.

Controversy thus far is said to be over the matter of signing a document that waives all rights of forfeiture that might arise. A majority of the fee owners readily consented to the transaction, but a small minority are yet to be convinced that such a course is advisable.

Those who have not yet affixed their signatures, said the representative, are blocking any progress on the part of the company. Release of the right of forfeiture is for the purpose of releasing the West Vernon company from any legal tangles.

## NAME DISTRICT DELEGATES.

W. C. T. U. Will Be Represented At  
District Meeting In Denatur  
Next Month.

W. C. T. U. members met in regular business session, Thursday, February 9, at the home of Mrs. W. T. Rouse. Roll call was answered with prohibition pointers. The following district delegates were elected to attend the district convention to be held at Decatur February 22 and 23:

Mrs. Rena Watts, Mrs. S. E. Lloyd, Mrs. L. E. McCurdy, Mrs. W. T. Rouse, Mrs. E. L. McHugh, and Mrs. J. A. Carney.

Mrs. H. D. Tennyson conducted an examination in citizenship, and Mrs. Edgar McHugh gave a reading entitled "On the Shores of Galilee." Mrs. Harper Reed read a paper on "Crusading For Law Enforcement." Rev. W. T. Rouse gave a very interesting talk on law enforcement. Refreshments consisting of chicken salad sandwiches and coffee were served.

## Death Claims Mason Baby.

Warren Gambrell Mason, 10 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Mason, died Saturday, February 11, after a lengthy illness. Funeral services for the baby were conducted Sunday afternoon at 3:30 at the family home on East Paradise street, and were in charge of Rev. C. V. Carroll. Burial was in East View cemetery.

## MRS. COLE DIES AT HOME OF SON

END COMES TO EARLY VERNON  
STEELER WHILE ON VISIT  
IN FREDERICK.

Mrs. Mary L. Cole, 70 years old, died Friday noon at Frederick, Okla., at the home of her son, Noble Cole. She had been visiting in Frederick since Christmas, and had been in poor health for some time. Her illness, however, confined her to bed only two days before the end came.

Mrs. Cole was one of the early settlers of Vernon and came here in 1889. She spent most of the time since that year here. She was a member of the Methodist church, a devout Christian mother and universally loved by all who knew her. She possessed many friends in this vicinity.

## Funeral Saturday.

Funeral services were conducted in Frederick Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Numbers of friends from Vernon went to the Oklahoma town to pay their last respects to Mrs. Cole. There were handsome floral offerings.

Surviving Mrs. Cole are two sons, Noble and Robert, both of Frederick, and three daughters, Mrs. Ola Huffine of Frederick, Mrs. W. B. Roberts of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Ester Key of Vernon. The last named was unable to attend her mother's funeral on account of illness.

## HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS MAKE DRESS FORMS

Two dress forms were made last week by girls of the high school under the direction of Miss Eula Goodfellow, county home demonstration agent, and Miss Lucile Shanks, domestic science teacher. Through their means the girls this year will be enabled to fit their own dresses, and the forms can be used for classes in succeeding years as well.

Making of clothing in the homes will also be facilitated through use of the forms. Thus far nineteen dress forms have been made by classes over the county.

## Make Progress With Sewing.

Club Girls over the county have for the most part finished the first articles on the year's program, and are preparing to make middle suits. Tea towels and bungalow aprons occupied their attention at the outset. Club sewing, according to the county home demonstration agent, is better this year than through the preceding twelve months.

## LOUISIANA PASTOR ACCEPTS CALL TO VERNON CHURCH

Rev. H. R. Holcomb Of Mansfield Expected Here In About Ten Days To Occupy Baptist Pulpit—Heralded As Excellent Speaker And Is Popular With Townspeople.

Rev. H. R. Holcomb of Mansfield, La., pastor of the Baptist church of that city, has been called to the pulpit of the local Baptist congregation, and has indicated his acceptance. Mr. Holcomb is expected here in about ten days after the completion of a meeting which he is now conducting at Shreveport.

J. A. Gilliland and W. A. Lane of Vernon informed the minister of his call and consulted with him Sunday. They attended services at Mansfield Sunday morning without the knowledge of Mr. Holcomb, and were enthralled over the sermon he delivered.

## Popular With MP.

The converted pastor is described as a forceful speaker, is a "free wheel" and exceptionally popular in his community with even those outside of church circles. He is said to conduct his religious duties on a business like basis, and is especially interested in becoming intimately acquainted with all in his congregation and discussing with them personally their problems.

Hundreds of business men visit Mr. Holcomb annually at his office. It is probable that a down town office will be opened for the minister in Vernon. Mr. Holcomb has been pastor at Mansfield four years. There are 600 persons in his congregation, and only 1,700 whites in the town. Prior to his call at Mansfield he served as evangelist for the Home Board of Southern Baptist Convention.

## POULTRY SHOW AT CHILDRESS TO BE CONDUCTED NEXT MONTH

An official American Poultry Association show will be conducted in Childress March 2 and 3 by the Childress County Poultry Association, according to word received by The Record. This show is open to anyone and breeders from Wilbarger are especially invited to participate. One of the objects of the exhibits will be to encourage more and better poultry in the Panhandle.

The premium list is contained in a book of instructions from A. and M. College and will be mailed out on request. Walter Burton of Arlington, who judged the Wilbarger show, will serve in the same capacity at Childress.

## Youths Charged With Theft.

Two youths were taken into custody Friday night by the sheriff's force and charged with thieving from automobiles parked near the East Pease street basketball court. A quantity of loot said to be taken from the cars was recovered by the officers. According to the theory of the sheriff's force an organized gang of such marauders is at work in Vernon.

## PEGGY WILL TELL OF HER MARRIED LIFE



Peggy Hopkins Joyce, actress and famous divorcee, has sailed for Europe to spend several months. While abroad she says that she will write her memoirs of her married life with her three millionaire husbands.

## CARUSO'S BABY TO CHOOSE OWN CAREER.



Little Gloria Caruso, daughter of the world-famous tenor who died recently, already shows an inclination to music. Mrs. Caruso says she will exert no influence to choose a career for her daughter, but will allow Gloria—that is, when she is old enough—to make her own selection.

## WILL HOLD JOINT RECITAL TONIGHT

OKLAHOMA PUPILS OF MISSES  
PARKER AND CARTER  
IN PROGRAM.

Miss Geraldine Parker, teacher of expression, and Miss Edith Carter, teacher of music in the Oklahoma school, will conduct a joint recital to-night at 7:30 at the school auditorium. The public is invited. Both Miss Parker and Miss Carter have been meeting with more than an ordinary degree of success in their work at the Oklahoma school, and the program tonight offers more than average excellence.

Following are the numbers to be presented:

1. Duet—Edith Skinner, Winnegene Britte.
2. The Queen of Hearts—Alta Mary Staleup.
3. The Story of Saint Valentine—Christine Rahnwater.
4. Piano solo—Nina Loyce Creager.
5. Ma and the Auto—Emis Hobson.
6. Piano solo—Miss Lela Nettles.
7. Bargains in Hearts—Dorothy Moore.
8. Drill—Four boys and four girls.
9. Sir Valentine—Josef Blevins.
10. Piano solo—Edna Mae Hobson.
11. Almost a Man—Chas Byars.
12. Piano Solo—Edith Skinner.
13. Dialogue—"Who'll Get a Valentine?"—Edna Mae Hobson, Nina Loyce Creager.
14. Reading—"The Puzzled Dutchman"—Compton Rahnwater.
15. Piano solo—Adele King.
16. Monologue—"The Suburbanites"—Miss Ramal Butler.
17. Reading—"Johnny's Wish"—John Wayne Rahnwater.
18. Piano Solo—Carolyn Sherman.
19. Reading—"Little Boy Blue"—Hazel Simmons.
20. Piano Solo—Ruth Gossett.
21. Reading—"Afore, Yo' Daddy Comes"—Emmitt Hobson.
22. Piano Solo—Callie Turpin.
23. Reading—"The Bachelor"—Quincy Conch.
24. Duet—Miss Carter—Miss Lela Nettles.
25. Piano solo—Christine Rahnwater.

**Neal Says Wheat Looking Good.**  
C. B. Neal of Oklahoma was in Vernon yesterday on business. Mr. Neal says wheat in his section is looking good and with moisture in the near future, a good yield will be assured.

**Fargo Meeting Postponed.**  
Fargo's Home and School Club will not meet Friday due to the fire which last week destroyed its meeting place at the schoolhouse.

## COUNTY ATHLETES TO COMPETE HERE

TRACK AND FIELD MEET WILL  
BE CONDUCTED IN VER-  
NON APRIL 1.

Vernon's fairgrounds will be the scene April 1 of a county wide track and field meet in which practically every school in Wilbarger will be invited to compete. The only exception, in fact, will be Vernon high school which is the sole institution in Class A in the county.

Each school will have the privilege of entering two men in each event. Those who win first and second in the respective races and field events will be eligible to compete in the district meet to be held here April 15. The county meet was held last year at Oklahoma.

## Program of Events.

Events that will be staged here April 1 are the following: 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, 440-yard dash, 880-yard run, 1 mile, 50-yard dash, 220-yard low hurdles, 1 mile relay, shot put, discus, pole vault, high jump, and broad jump.

The district meet to be held here April 11 will be the first for Vernon in five years. Both class A and class B schools will be eligible to participate in it. Class A events differ from class B only in the fact that 120-yard hurdles are substituted for the 50-yard dash. The same counties will be represented that were eligible to send teams to the basketball tournament here last week.

## TOLBERT PLAY WELL STAGED.

Scores Turned Away From Doors Friday Because of Limited Seating Capacity.

"Civil Service," the play presented at Tolbert last Friday night, was witnessed by a filled auditorium at the school building, and several hundred prospective patrons were turned away. The production will be repeated Friday night at Odell.

Dawse Brooks in the role of a comedian furnished a great deal of amusement during the play, and Miss Dora Brock, his teammate in fun, added greatly to the humor as well. Miss Monette Brooks as Kate Kenyon and Oscar Tooley as Steve Audian were cast in the leading parts, and were especially good.

Professor J. M. Horne in the part of an old man was pleasing. Proceeds of the play were devoted to the benefit of the Methodist church, and amounted to \$67.20.

## Boy to Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

A boy was born Saturday, February 11 to Mr. and Mrs. John Smith living on West Texas street. Mother and her baby are progressing well.

## ESTELLINE TAKES DISTRICT TITLE HERE SATURDAY

Harrold Is Humbled 34 to 13 In Final Contest Of Tournament—Winners Beat Back Five Man Defense—Wilbarger Team Weakened By Semi-Finals Played In Morning.

Skilfully passing, debbling, and shooting for the basket Estelline Saturday blasted the hopes of Harrold's basketball team for the championship of district three by winning the final contest 34 to 13. The Wilbarger county champions were outplayed in the crucial game of the tournament, and the strain of excessive playing had clearly weakened the proteges of Coach Covey.

Estelline baffled the five man defense staged by the Harrold court artists, and with swift, short passes worked the ball repeatedly for comparatively easy trials at goal. At the end of the first half the score was 16 to 4 in favor of Estelline. The winners then annexed eighteen points in the second period while Harrold was gaining nine.

## Harrold Fails At Scoring.

Bowman, Rogers, and C. Adams, ran wild for the victors, the first named scoring 16 points for his team, and the other two arching the ball through the hoop four times each. The vaunted scoring power of Harrold failed to manifest itself. Hale at forward scored nine of his team's thirteen points.

Estelline won its way to the finals through but one contest, played against Quannah Friday night. Harrold, on the other hand, played Kirkland Friday night and Crowell Saturday morning for the right to compete in the titular contest. The resultant strain undoubtedly contributed to the downfall of the Wilbarger champions.

Following is the lineup of each team:

	F. G.	P. T.
Estelline—		
E. Adams	1	0
Bowman	5	0
Rogers	4	0
C. Adams	4	0
McCollum	0	0
	14	0
Harrold—	F. G.	P. T.
Hale	2	5
Luttrell	0	0
Neal	1	0
Kee	0	0
Showers	0	0
Houchens	1	0
King	0	0
	4	5

Referee: Jordan—Matador.

## Preliminaries Hard Fought.

In the preliminary Friday night, Harrold swept Kirkland aside 31 to 17. At the end of the first half the Wilbarger lads were leading 20 to 5, and were content to maintain a defensive most of the second period. Kirkland came back strong but was too far outclassed to overtake the county champions. Both teams played fast and aggressive basketball.

Following are the lineups of the teams and the scores made by each player:

	F. G.	P. T.
Harrold—		
Hale	4	6
Luttrell	3	0
Neal	1	1
Kee	4	0
Showers	0	0
	24	7
Kirkland—	F. G.	P. T.
Terrill	4	7
Sharp	1	0
Huntcut	0	0
Williamson	0	0
Denson	0	0
	5	7

## Estelline Is Winner.

Quannah proved no match for Estelline in the second game Friday after the Hardeman county lads had played air tight basketball during the first half, and the winners took the game 20 to 9. At the end of the first half Estelline were leading 9 to 7. During the second half Estelline opened up the heavy scoring offensive and tossed the



# Vernon Theater

—Tuesday Night—

5 Acts of Vaudeville, Also  
Doris May in "EDEN and RETURN"

—Wednesday and Thursday—

"MOONLIGHT FOLLIES"

Marie Prevost

—Friday and Saturday—

"TWO KINDS OF WOMEN"

Pauline Frederick

Century Comedy—"Society Dogs."

"Winners of the West" chapter 9.

THERE MAY BE CRAZY  
WATER BUT THERE'S SOME  
THAT MAKES YOU SANE!

"I recollect," said J. A. Nabers, district judge, as he tilted his chair back during an interim of court yesterday morning, "when J. Walker Hall and Judge Huff were assigned one time to defend a negro man who had committed theft and was pleading insanity. The lawyers retired to an anteroom with their client and were gone for an indefinite period."

"Finally Mr. Hall appeared and remarked, 'We can't do a thing with him. Can't get even a word out of him. If that nigger's not crazy he's the best actor in the United States of America. If his mind's in working order he backs Edwin Booth, John Barrymore and all the rest off the stage. All he does is roll his eyes at the ceiling and shake from head to foot.'"

#### Was Feigning Insanity.

"However," continued the district judge, "friends of the man got him out on bond, and it later developed that they had coached him to feign insanity in order to lighten his punishment. Not being versed in the art of imitating mental disorder, they simply directed him to say nothing under any circumstances. As a result, not even his law-

yers could question him.

"In some way or another the supposedly demented man, while out on bond, was taken to Condon Springs and given a drink of the refreshing water. Feeling himself secure at such a distance from court, he resumed his natural manner, much to the surprise of bystanders who were aware of his apparently demented condition."

"I heard about it and immediately went to the phone to call J. Walker Hall."

#### Might Try It Himself.

"Have you heard," I questioned as he helloed me from the other end of the wire, "that your nigger man is sane again? I understand he went out to Condon Springs, drank three glasses of water, cracked his heels together and had his senses back. Mr. Hall, 'I concluded to my lawyer friend, 'how about trying a little swig of that yourself?'"

S. P. Huff, mentioned above, is now chief justice in the Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo, and J. Walker Hall is associate justice. Both are prominently known throughout this section.



At the Vernon Theater.

Wednesday and Thursday, Marie Prevost in "Moonlight Follies."

No tremendous situations or heart rending scenes clutter up the story. It moves simply and rapidly and carries a giggle every minute. Nan Rutledge, the spoiled daughter of Major Rutledge, is too much of a social butterfly for father. He demands that she marry and settle down. But all men look alike to her.

Seeing the profile of a man behind the office door, she falls in love with his nose, and decides she will marry him. Evidently Tony Griswold thinks otherwise, for he refuses to be vamped by the adorable little minx. He is the first man she has not been able to conquer, and he interests her. Finally, when he succumbs, she things she has made a mistake—but the rejuvenated "caveman" thinks otherwise.

At the Pictorium.

Today, Last day to see House Peters in "The Invisible Power." Also a news reels, a Snub Pollard comedy, and "Hurricane Hutch," chapter 4.

The story deals with the regeneration of an underworld character and the sacrifices that his wife, the school teacher, daughter of a minister, makes to help him go straight. The very fact, however, that he has once been in jail, keeps him constantly under the surveillance of the police; so much so that even his wife becomes enmeshed in the politics of the secret police that watch the activities of famous underworld characters. The plot develops into a personal drama of self-sacrifice on the part of the ex-convict's wife that appeals to everyone.

Wednesday and Thursday, Jack Hoxie in "The Sheriff of Hope Eternal." Also, a Larry Semon comedy, "The Sawmill."

In this picture Hoxie is given an opportunity to show his ability as a dramatic actor. While he does many of his riding stunts, the plot of the story is of such a nature that in a great part of the picture he must show his ability in a highly dramatic role. He is supported by a strong cast.

The highly dramatic and tense situations in this production are cleverly relieved by a slight touch of comedy which is put over well by William Dyer who has the role of Judge Clayton justice of the peace and coronel of Hope Eternal. Marin Sais, who discards the dress of the cowgirl for the silk and satin of the vampire, has ample opportunity to display her ability and a real dramatic actress.

Friday and Saturday, Constance Talmadge in "Women's Place."

This comedy is by John Emerson and Anita Loos. When Connie runs for mayor the stronger the men get in sup-

## The Story of Our States

By JONATHAN BRACE  
XXXI.—CALIFORNIA



THERE is an atmosphere of romance enveloping the early history of California which even encircles the origin of the name. About 1520 a Spanish love story was published in which there was an imaginary island in the Far East called California. Some fifteen years later a party of Spanish adventurers came upon the peninsula which we now call Lower California. Believing that they had discovered a romantic island similar to the one in the novel, they called it California. Later on, the territory to the north became known as Alta California or High California and when it became a state, it was accordingly called California. The first settlers were the Franciscan monks who came up from Mexico and established missions, and many are the legends woven around these pioneer Padres. There shortly grew up Mexican settlements around the missions which the wonderful climate and fertile soil prospered.

The government, while under Mexican control, was more or less independent, and at the outbreak of the Mexican war, Fremont, who was later defeated for the presidency, occupied California. When peace was made in 1848, California became United States territory. That same year gold was discovered in the Sacramento Valley and the rush of people to California began. The population grew so rapidly that in 1850 California was admitted as the thirty-first state of the Union. With its 158,297 square miles, it is the largest state except Texas. Politically, its power has been rapidly growing. California now has thirteen presidential electors.

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port of her, the weaker are their wives. Connie was chosen by the Woman's Party for beauty, not brains, but she charmed them all too well to suit the girl they left behind them.

Mrs. Grady Stapp of Dallas is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. L. Hall.

Miss Adele Summer left Friday for Amarillo to visit Mrs. Miles Bivens.

Mrs. W. A. Ish has been quite sick with the la grippe.

R. E. Stevenson from Chillicothe was a visitor in Vernon Friday.

L. K. McDonald and family from Chillicothe were in Vernon Saturday.

R. H. Coffee is convalescing after a week's illness.

W. F. Frost of Farmers Valley was in Vernon Saturday.

H. E. Rogers returned Friday from a business trip to Quanah.

Call 205 for cleaning and pressing. Reed Smith. 1tc

Gilford McCarroll from Harrold was a visitor Saturday.

E. A. Dean spent the week-end in Dallas.

Henry Isaacs of St. Louis spent the week-end in Vernon.

Jack Whitehurst of Quanah was in the city yesterday.

R. G. Kelehner of Oklahoma City was in Vernon Monday.

J. E. Archer of Bowie visited in Vernon Sunday.

Jack Dale of Henrietta was in Vernon Saturday.

J. D. Pendleton of Altus, Okla., spent the week-end in Vernon.

E. Stedman of Wichita Falls, representative of the Kell Milling Company, was in Vernon Saturday.

W. H. Stroud of Austin was here Saturday.

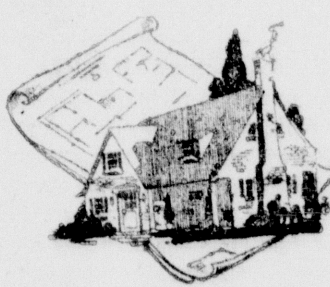
Improved long staple Mebane cotton seed. Best money can buy at \$3.00 per bushel. Puckett Bros. 10-9tc

Mrs. Tom McDaniel, Jr., returned to Wichita Falls Tuesday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Everett Haney.

E. R. Bandy, auditor for the Pierce Oil Corporation, spent the week-end in Vernon.

George Weatherall, Claud Bennett, and Miss Joyce McBeth motored to Wichita Falls Sunday.

Miss Stella Dugan of Electra spent the week-end as the guest of Miss Vera Harrington.



## Planned To Please You

You, like most people planning to build, undoubtedly have definite ideas of what you want. We welcome these suggestions from you and through our knowledge of Architecture transform them into a workable plan for your new home, that goes to make it complete.

Consultation at your convenience is welcome.

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Lumber Company

JAY V. RUSSELL Mgr.  
300 N. Main Phone 104

Little Warner Fain Brock, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brock, is recovering from a week's illness.

Get your 2X4, 2X6, 2X8, and 2X10 in white oak at Long-Bell Lumber Company of Texas. 9-2tc

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gilliland of Wichita Falls are visiting at the home of C. M. Blair and family. Mr. Gilliland is a brother of Mrs. Blair.

Mayor Harry Mason left yesterday for Austin where he will attend to the approving of city bonds for a new lighting plant.

Evans Mason left yesterday for Dallas to undergo medical treatment following which he will re-enter the University of Texas.

M. F. Thurmond, Roy Wade, Gordon Gray, and Paul Fairless of Quanah attended the district tournament in Vernon last week-end.

Mrs. Perry Griffiths returned Sunday afternoon from Frederick, Okla., where she attended the funeral services of Mrs. M. L. Cole.

William F. Harris of Cleburne filled the pulpit Sunday morning at the local Baptist church. Mr. Harris is the father of Mrs. W. C. Hawkins of this city, and formerly lived in this county.

A complete French village, with a "Hotel de Ville" accommodating 1,000 people, will be planted at Medicine Park, Okla., as a recreation center for the American Legion. Posts will build cottages where members may spend their vacation.

C. P. Smith of Oklahoma City, brother of J. C. Smith of this city, and Mrs. R. L. Waggoner of Oklahoma City returned home Monday morning after attending the funeral of their niece, Miss Nora Helen Smith.



A list of our best selling records, you should have—

My Sunny Tennessee

Honolulu Eyes—Waltz

Wabash Blues

Ten Little Fingers

Mon-Homme—Fox Trot

Feather Your Nest

Toddle

Mammy's Lullaby—waltz

I Want My Mammy

Tell Me—Fox Trot

The Vamp—Fox Trot

Singin' The Blues

Old Rugged Cross

Sweet Hawaiian Girl

Everybody Step—

Ma—One Step

Georgia Rose—Quartet

I've Got My Habits On

Mississippi Cradle

When Shall We Meet Again

Ty-Tee—Fox Trot

Granny-Mammy's Mammy

12th Street Rag

On The South Sea Isle

Whispering Hope

Washington Post—March

Cuckoo Song—(Yodle)

#### OTHER NUMBERS

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Powell Zimblist

Rachmaninoff Gluck

Heifitz Kreisler

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—Today—Tuesday—Last Day Showing—  
The Sacred Trinity of home—mother, father and child—arrayed against the insupportable forces of man-made law.

IRENE RICH and HOUSE PETERS in  
FRANK LLOYD'S PRODUCTION

"THE INVISIBLE POWER"

SNUB POLLARD in "SHAKE 'EM UP."

SELZNICK NEWS and HURRICANE HUTCH No. 4

—Wednesday and Thursday—

A Blending of Thrills, Suspense,  
Strong Dramatic action and Comedy

JACK HOXIE

With MARIN SAIS in

"THE SHERIFF OF  
HOPE ETERNAL"



LARRY SEMON in his latest fun feature "The Sawmill"  
Also Chas. Hutchinsin "The-Thrill-a-Minute Stunt-King"

2 Days— 2 GREAT DAYS

—Friday and Saturday—

Constance  
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Most people have a piece of furniture, a farm implement, or something else which they have discarded and which they no longer want.

These things are put in the attic, or stored away in the barn, or left lying about, getting of less and less value each year.

## WHY NOT SELL THEM?

Somebody wants those very things which have become of no use to you. Why not try to find that somebody by putting a want advertisement in

THIS NEWSPAPER?

THE VERNON RECORD



## CHAMBER WOULD RECOGNIZE MEXICO

TEXAS COMMERCIAL BODY BELIEVES STATE OTHERWISE IS HAMPERED.

Dallas, Feb. 14.—The Texas Chamber of Commerce has gone on record as favoring the immediate recognition by the United States of the existing government of Mexico. J. S. Cullinan of Houston, president of the Texas Chamber, has just returned from Mexico City where he spent some time investigating conditions. The resolution passed by the executive committee of the Texas chamber also recommends the repeal or modification of passport regulations, head tax and similar impediments to the freest practicable trade; also the establishment of a basis of bargaining tariff that will permit of executive changes or adjustments to meet changing conditions as they arise.

The resolution sets forth that Texas, with its thousand miles of Mexican border, is being hampered commercially and industrially as a result of the present status of relations between the governments. The resolution urging recognition is conditional upon the granting by Mexico of a guarantee to protect lives of American citizens and safeguard property "under the constitution and the laws existing at the time such property was or is acquired."

### Would Improve Trade.

During the past several months the board of the Texas Chamber of Commerce has given close study to the development of closer trade relations with Mexico. The state chamber took part in the conference held under the auspices of the Texas Commercial Executive Association at Dancos, January 16 and 17, and at this international meeting James Z. George, vice president and general manager of the state body, was placed in charge of plans for the formation of a permanent committee on American-Mexican commerce.

Our advance showing of new spring hats is now on display. Naylor's Millinery. 9-2tc

### For the Kiddies.

The Kiddies Hobby Horse hair cutting chair, the little fellow drives the horse while we cut his hair. We specialize on children's hair cuts. Especially hair bobbing. 25c. Dawdy's Barber Shop, Northeast Corner of Square. 9-3tc 3-4tc

The largest telephone cable in the world, according to reports, was recently laid across the Detroit river between Windsor, Ontario and Detroit. It is possible to conduct six hundred conversations simultaneously through this cable.

A machine for making raised embroidery in silver and gold is the invention of a man in Lyons. The stitch is a copy of an ancient form of embroidery and gives an impression of handwork. This machine is the result of seven years of study and is the first one that has been successful in using the metallic thread.

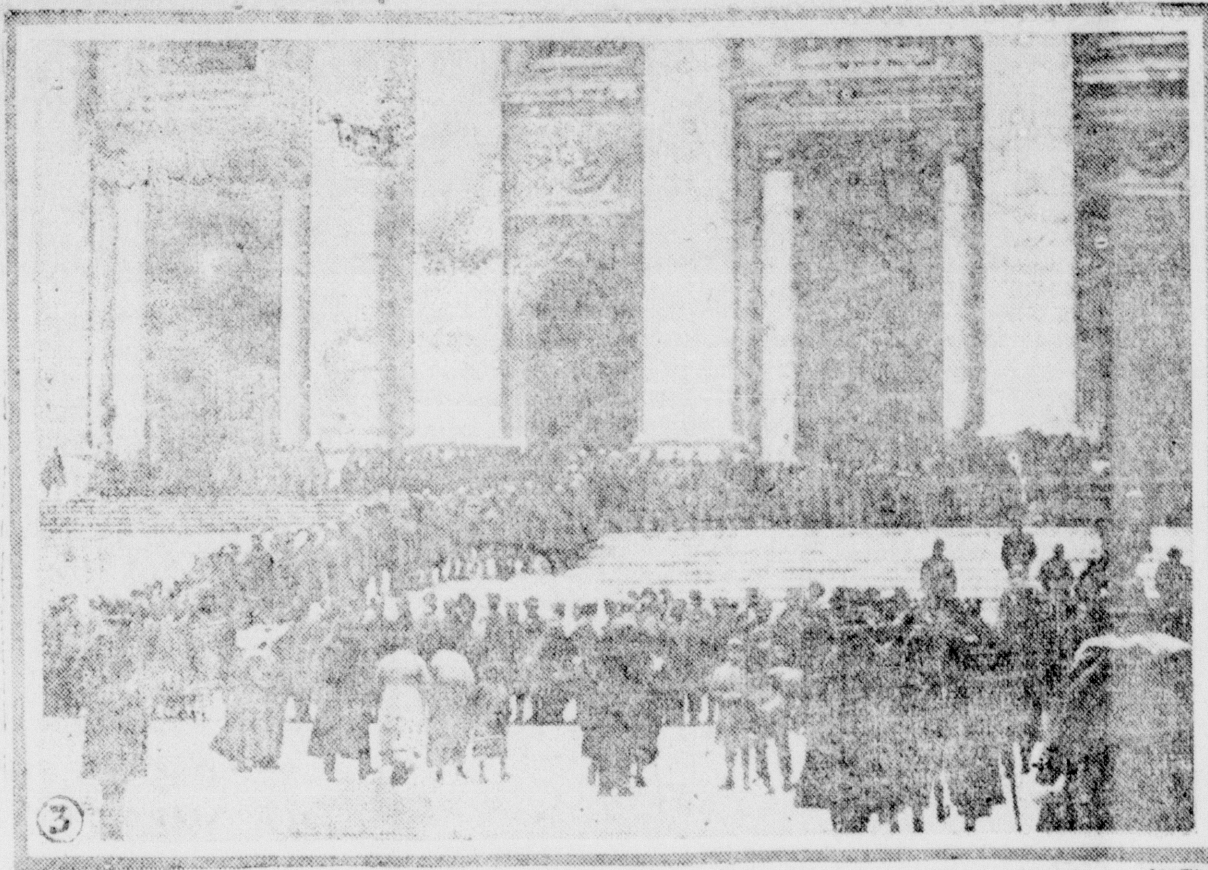
C. J. Poole from Benjamin, Knox county, was in Vernon Saturday visiting relatives. Mr. Poole was a former resident of Vernon.

### WEALTHY HOBO SPENDS WINTER IN SUNSHINE



Dr. James Eads How, known far and wide as the "millionaire hobo," is now in San Diego, California, spending the winter months in that sunny climate, which is a haven for unemployed who can and who cannot afford to spend the winter there. In San Diego a committee is being formed for the purpose of starting a "Hobo College."

## CROWDS PAY HOMAGE TO DEPARTED CHURCH HEAD.



This photo shows the crowds which assembled outside the cathedral to view the body of the Pope lying in state.

### AUSTRIAN MONEY CARRIED IN CLOTHES HAMPER



You might think these men were delivering laundry to a hotel, but no; they are carrying 17,500,000 in paper kronen to a bank in Vienna. This Austrian money, coined out by the dragload and having no gold basis, has depreciated until the whole 17,500,000 kronen is worth but \$5,000 in American money. No guards are needed to keep away bandits, who would have a hard time lugging away the booty, even if they could get it.

## HERE AND THERE OVER OUR STATE

The food and drug division of the State Board of Health characterizes the corn whiskey commonly known as "moonshine whiskey" or "white mule" as a filthy and dangerous beverage, unfit for human consumption. The division bases its opinion upon hundreds of samples analyzed and upon facts brought to light in many court trials.

The menace of the boll weevil and the pink bollworm to this year's cotton crop is stressed in a letter that is being mailed to the farmers of the State by the Texas Industrial Congress. Government estimates place the damage to last year's crop in Texas at 2,000,000 bales, and since the winter has been mild it is believed that the destruction caused by the weevil will be equally as great this season.

Putting more happiness into the lives of lonesome young people by getting them acquainted under the right conditions is the purpose of the open house meetings which are being conducted each week at the First Presby-

**Who Can Locate This Oklahoma Man.**  
G. F. (George) Clemence of Guthrie, Okla., was picked cotton in Wilbarger county last October and his whereabouts is now unknown. He is a German, speaks broken English, is five feet, six inches tall, has blue eyes and brown curly hair. While in Vernon he made his home with a Mr. Withers. Anyone who can help locate him please notify the Record. 8-4tc

Call 205 for first class tailor work. Reed Smith's Shop. 1tc

See Long-Bell Lumber Company of Texas for finish oak for eaves. 9-2tc

Have your suit cleaned and pressed at Reed Smith's Shop. Phone 205. 1tc

**For the Kiddies.** Our Mr. Edwards has had three years experience in Sangre Brothers' kiddie shop. If you want Mr. Edwards to bob your child's hair, call for Mr. Edwards. Dawdy's Barber Shop, Northeast corner square. 9-3tc.

Engene Berry of Wichita Falls visited in Vernon Sunday.

A. G. Barton of Palestine, a brother of Mrs. M. E. Prince, of Vernon, is visiting his sister here.

terian Church of Dallas. It is said to be the only project of its kind.

H. G. Teyman, who was tried in Gatesville on a charge of murdering an inmate of the Texas Training School for Boys, was found guilty of murder Saturday and his punishment was assessed at ten years in the penitentiary.

Foundation for one of the nation's largest good roads conventions and exhibitions to be held in conjunction with the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show was laid Saturday morning at Fort Worth. Representatives of road building machinery firms, material men, engineers, and commissioners attended the gathering.

Optimism for the Republican party in Texas was the keynote Saturday night at the Lincoln Day banquet at the Texas Hotel in Fort Worth. Republican speakers praised party accomplishments and pleaded for an opportunity in Texas politics. About 400 persons attended.

New arrivals in Spring millinery each day at Naylor's Millinery. 9-2tc

Mrs. Esther Key is recovering from a two weeks' illness.

George Burt of Denver, representative of the Waples-Platter Grocery Co., was in Vernon Sunday.

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### FIDDLER AIDS IN FIGHT FOR COUNTY SEAT

"Eck" Robertson of Vernon, famed throughout this section as a fiddler of the old school, is "drawing a mean bow" at Clinton, Okla., as a means of attracting audiences for speakers arguing as to the most suitable place to situate a court house in Custer county. Clinton and the town of Custer have their respective aspirations toward a county seat, and a torrent of invectives is being poured by speakers at each place toward the ambitions of the other community.

The business of Mr. Robertson, engaged by the citizenship of Clinton, is to wheedle the crowds into such a frame of mind through his magic bow and violin that their emotions can be readily played upon by the orators. Each night until well past 1 a. m., the Vernon artist sets feet pitting with his "Arkansas Traveler" and "Pop Goes the Weasel."

In a letter to a Vernon contemporary, Mr. Robertson asserts somewhat mournfully that he has played "Sally Gooden" till the "A" string rings in his ear like a humbly. The latter rather remarkable coincidence is no wonder in view of the fact that Mr. Robertson is quite universally acclaimed the champion "Sally Gooden" fiddler of the world.

J. E. Wiley of Fort Worth was in Vernon yesterday.

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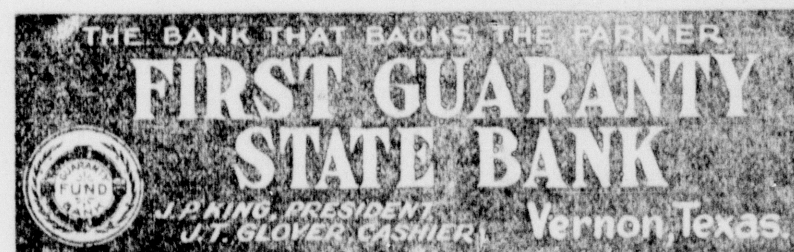
## Your Prosperity is Important to This Bank

We want every member of this community to prosper.

Even though you may do no business with us direct, your prosperity is an advantage to the community and consequently to us.

If we can help, with advice or service, please remember that we are cheerfully at your command.

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## Presenting Attractive Styles in New Spring Wear at Prices That Will Meet With Great Popularity

—And now comes the joy of selecting new things to wear for spring. This season particularly, our fashions seem as charming and naive as youth itself, and you will find every bit as much enjoyment in selecting clothes from our stock, as you will in wearing them.

—With prices down to levels that are uniformly normal, you may now buy without doubt or concern about economy.

### SPRING DRESSES OF TAFFETA AND CREPES

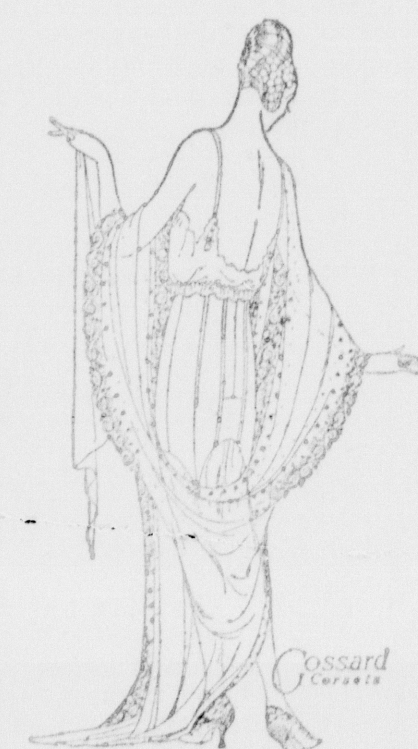
They stand as a challenge to the best values ever offered the beginning of a season—\$19.75, \$23.75, \$27.45, up to \$39.75.

Women's Spring Suits new and novel tailored suits of Tricotines—Sport Suits of Tweeds—\$29.75 up to \$69.75.

### HATS VIVID IN COLOR OCCUPY THE CENTER OF THE STAGE

Tangerine, Flume, Cullot, Rouge, Jade. Embroideries done with a needle threaded with strands of Georgette Crepe, loops of velvet ribbon on wide-trimmed hats of Tagal straw, clusters of grapes made of Thuress organdy tinted in water colors.

Sport Hats—Soft crushable affairs—whether of straw or of silk they are vastly becoming with their gayety of color and brims to be tilted to suit one's fancy—\$4.95 to \$29.75



### The New Gossard Corsets for Spring

Let our corsetiers show you how, with a Gossard Front Lacing Corset. They can coax your figure to the very most of which it is capable.

The new Gossards are priced as low as—\$3.50, \$5.00, \$6.50 up to \$10.00



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There is so much to be told of the new Silks that it would take pages to tell it all—Puffy Taffetas, Foulards, Crepes, Sport Silks, and countless others of the very new silk materials—All here awaiting your approval. \$1.45, \$1.95, \$2.95, up to \$6.95 per yard.

We are still offering wonderful low prices on all late winter goods. They are being offered so low it will pay you to buy them—even for next winter wear—You will find the prices very attractive—We must make room for the incoming Spring merchandise—

**Dixon Dry Goods Co.**  
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In the choice and use of her Toilet Articles a woman proclaims refinement. We assist you in your selection by showing only the best in every item. You will find a complete line of Marinello preparations at

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## The Vernon Record

(Incorporated)  
ISSUED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

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THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Vernon, Texas, Tuesday, Feb. 14, 1922

For Congress, 13th Judicial District:

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W. A. L. MORGAN, Wichita Falls, Wichita County.

Candidate For District Judge:

(Subject to action of Democratic Primary.)  
M. M. HANKINS, Quanah, Hardeman County.  
ROBERT COLE, of Crowell.

Candidate For District Attorney:

A. C. NICHOLSON

For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1:

T. J. GRIFFITHS

Candidate for County Tax Collector:

MRS. D. J. (MYRTIE C.) WILHELM.

N. P. WHITESIDE of Tolbert.

C. M. BLAIR (Re-election)

For County Tax Assessor:

S. E. PORTERFIELD (Re-election)

Candidate For County Clerk:

J. W. BROCK, Jr.

VERNA LUCKE, (Re-election.)

For Sheriff Wilbarger County:

W. A. ISH (Re-election)

FRANK EDMONSON

For County Superintendent:

L. A. HOLLAR (Re-election)

For Public Weigher:

M. L. WALKER

J. L. (JOE) SNEED (Re-election)

W. W. GILBERT

For County Treasurer:

W. C. ALDERMAN, (Re-election)

For County Judge:

E. L. McHUGH

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

A. M. BOURLAND (Re-election)

For County Commissioner Precinct 2:

W. G. McDONALD

DR. J. L. TULL

O. A. McCALLEN (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, precinct 3:

SIDNEY ARCHER (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, precinct 4:

R. COBB

### BUY IT AT HOME.

There is more than ordinary food for thought in the pithy short story carried in The Record of last Tuesday concerning the man who purchased a saw from his local hardware dealer at a mail order house price. The account related how the merchant made his customer the same charge as that asked by the out-of-town firm, and in addition added the minor incidentals such as postage, money orders, and expressage until the article finally cost two cents more than it could have been originally purchased for from the home town merchant. After that the dealer hung the saw upon a nail and informed his patron that he would have to wait two weeks before it would come into his possession.

Too many citizens overlook the primary part they can easily exert in the upbuilding of their community. To patronize one's home merchant is to spend the same money for paved streets, for sewers, and electric lights, for the business interests of a town are usually sponsors of such projects. But to conceive these enterprises, to assume an active part in the improvement of local facilities, the same business interests must enjoy a full degree of prosperity.

It is due then from the citizens of the town whose interests they are striving to advance, a community which harkens consistently to the voice of co-operation in matters of trade need

have no excessive fears over financial depression in other parts of the world. There is an immense amount of self-sustaining vigor right here at home.

### DIG A GARDEN.

Have a garden this Spring. If you possess a but an eight by ten space, dig it up and plant something. It means work, it is true, but on the other hand it is comparatively small effort in view of the results it brings.

There is health, there is appetite, there is vigor awaiting the man who digs in old Mother Earth. Scribes for years have ridiculed the back yard gardener who witnesses his labors go for naught under the drive of the neighbors' chickens, but this is more sarcasm than fact.

There is an abundance of vegetables that can be grown with no great expenditure of toil. Once in the ground they ask only for regular waterings and occasional weeding. This is a year of conservation in food as well as finances. A good garden will pay for itself many times over, and provide a real stimulus and hobby while it is doing so.

### VERNON WILL HAVE A CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

For the past decade Wilbarger has been recognized as one of the leading counties in all of that wonderful section of the State known as "West Texas." "Vernon is the best town on the Denver to live in" is a common expression among those few who have lived in Vernon and have experienced the misfortune of moving away. It is the active, progressive and forward-looking citizenship of this county and city which has recognized her possibilities and developed her resources in a manner that has brought forth such favorable comment. These same active and public-spirited citizens will not long remain silent and content without a Chamber of Commerce.

The imperative necessity of an or-

## The Story of Our States

By JONATHAN BRACE  
XLVIII.—TERRITORIES



"THE Story of our States" would not be complete without a brief mention of the other territory of the United States, which is not included in the actual forty-eight states. The biggest of these territories is Alaska, with an area of 586,412 square miles. This huge region was under Russian domination until 1867 when the United States purchased it for \$7,200,000, or less than two cents an acre. There was some grumbling at the time by a few congressmen over "adding a refrigerator to the United States." But the refrigerator has been found to be well stocked with gold, coal, forests and fisheries, so that Alaska has proven a profitable investment.

Hawaii, like Alaska, is a regular territory. In 1893 there was a successful revolution against the Hawaiian queen, and a provisional government was formed under American protection. In 1898, at the request of the population, Hawaii was annexed to the United States.

Porto Rico, Guam and the Philippines were ceded to the United States in 1898 as a result of the Spanish-American war. Porto Rico and the Philippines are dependencies and not territories. Their local affairs are administered by a legislature of two houses and they are represented in the United States by resident commissioners elected by the legislatures. Guam is under the control of naval officers in command of naval stations. Under similar naval control are the Tutuila group and Samoa, which were ceded in 1899 by Great Britain and Germany.

Then there is the Panama Canal Zone, which was purchased from Panama in 1904 for \$10,000,000. This is governed by the Isthmian Canal commission. The year 1917 saw the purchase from Denmark of the Virgin Islands, for \$25,000,000. These aggregate only 150 square miles and are temporarily governed by a naval officer.

Finally, there is the District of Columbia, which was organized in 1791, as the seat of our federal government. The residents have no vote for either local or national officials, nor are they represented in congress.

### WINNER MAY FIGHT DEMPSEY FOR TITLE.



Left—Harry Greb.  
Right—Tom Gibbons.

Tom Gibbons, of St. Paul, and Harry Greb, Pittsburgh boxer, regarded as two of the country's fore most light heavyweights, have been matched for a fifteen-round bout in Madison Square Garden, New York City, March 13.

The winner is scheduled to battle Jack Dempsey for his world's title. It is the most important match made since the Dempsey-Carpentier fight.

It is announced that the men will clash in the feature bout of a card which Promoter Tex Rickard is conducting for the New York Milk Fund.

Several times before it was reported that they were matched to battle, but a bout between them never materialized. Gibbons was matched for a bout here against George Carpentier, world's light-heavyweight champion, but this contest was abandoned.



ganization to properly handle the common business interests and public welfare of a resourceful, active and progressive community is, of itself, so urgent and impelling that one might as well undertake to close the public schools as to try to prevent the ultimate organization of a Chamber of Commerce in such a community. The fact that about forty letters a day are received from outside sources, inquiring into agricultural, commercial and industrial features of this community; its public schools and its churches, is within itself enough to cause every loyal man and woman in Vernon to rise up and demand that these inquiries be answered and that an adequate organization be formed to hereafter handle all important matters of community interests and public welfare.

Just when and how it will be organized is merely a matter of detail. The citizens of Vernon will sooner or later demand a Chamber of Commerce and get it.

### Servant's House in Flames.

A burning servant's house on the premises of Mrs. Mary Berry living on North Mesquite street caused the fire department to respond to a call about 1:30 Monday morning. No one had been living in the house and the origin of the fire is unknown. The shelter burned completely.

### Brothers Afflicted Together.

Carl and Kenneth, sons of R. L. McKinnon, living south of Chillicothe, underwent operations for appendicitis here last week. Both boys are doing well at this time.

R. Belcher of Wichita Falls was here Monday.

### THE POET'S CORNER

#### A Birthday Song.

My birthday, good folks, is today,  
And I would have you know  
I'm celebrating through the spread  
Of good cheer as I go.

I gladden hearts of old and young,  
And yet set lips a-tremble;  
I cause a deal of mirth and fun  
Wherever folks assemble.

I bring a flutter to the heart  
Of each fair, dainty maiden,  
Who scans me carefully and finds  
That with true joys I'm laden.

I rule the hearts throughout the world,  
This day they all are mine;  
I am the god of love and smiles,  
I am—Saint Valentine.

J. Hill Wright of Wichita Falls was in Vernon Monday on business.

W. W. Gary of Dallas was in the city yesterday.

S. E. Terrill of Wichita Falls was in Vernon Monday.

L. E. Cray of Wichita Falls was here yesterday.

Mrs. W. C. Baker left Saturday for Crowell for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson.

Moh Pickens has gone to Electra where he has contracted to build a fifteen thousand dollar machine shop for George Lebus.

Little Christine Lewis, daughter of B. H. Lewis, fell while playing at school last Friday, dislocating her right arm. The injury is proving very painful.

## Neither Too Big Nor Too Small

You don't want to do business with a bank too big to give attention to the individual needs of its customers. Nor do you want a bank which is not big enough to take care of the legitimate needs of its patrons.

This bank, while occupying a first position among the banks of this section of the state in strength and resources, takes a keen delight in giving individual attention to the needs of all its patrons, from the smallest depositor to the largest.

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Vernon, Texas

### VERNON JOINS OFFICE FORCE OF THE RECORD

E. A. Vernon, recently a member of the firm of Smith and Vernon Tailoring Company, has joined the office force of The Vernon Record. Mr. Vernon has lived in this city about two and one-half years, and has many friends locally.

Mr. Vernon for some time was connected with the Dixon-Kennedy Dry Goods Company at Chillicothe, and was later with the H. C. Russell and Son firm here. He spent seventeen months in the United States service during the war.

Ed C. Moody of Hamilton was in Vernon yesterday.

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Rex Sugar Cured Bacon per pound ..... \$ .25  
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Country Lard (any quantity) ..... .15  
Seedless Raisins, in bulk per pound ..... .25  
Prunes 40-50 per pound ..... .25  
6 Pounds Crisco ..... 1.15  
Golden Gate Coffee 2 1-2 pound can ..... 1.15  
Elegant Coffee, 3 pound can ..... 1.40  
Good Peaberry Coffee pound ..... .25

People who visit my store for the first time remark about its cleanliness and I do try to handle my goods in a sanitary way.

Always glad for you to come in and get prices and look my stock over whether you buy or not—

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Lots of pretty piece goods—ginghams, percales, ratinas, tissues, crepetts, new colored pongee silks, stripe wool goods for skirts.

All kinds white goods—domestic, sheetings, wall canvassing.

Gray and nude hose—now so popular—Let us show you.

## Crow Sisters

## A supreme tempter for appetites of big and little folks



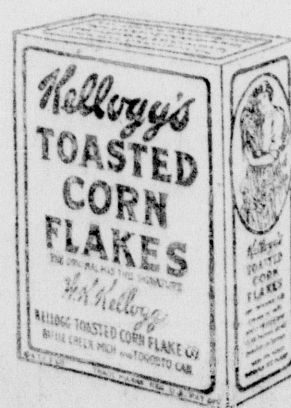
"Lis'sen, you Herbie, you let go of those Kellogg's Corn Flakes or you'll be late for school—and I won't wait for you another minute!"

Put it right up to Kellogg's Corn Flakes to do a master job sharpening breakfast appetites! And, they'll repeat at lunch and supper—for Kellogg's are irresistible in downright goodness! They win every one because their flavor is delicious and because their crunchy crispness is unfailing! You'll prove that!

Such a cereal you never ate before! You'll say Kellogg's are a revelation—and they will be, in particular, to any one who has eaten imitation corn flakes! Kellogg's are as distinctive in flavor as they are in crispness. And, Kellogg's are never tough or leathery!

Start eating Kellogg's Corn Flakes tomorrow morning! You can't afford to miss such happiness as Kellogg's hand out to young and old alike! But—please be sure you get KELLOGG'S, the delicious Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN package. Look for the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Toasted Corn Flakes. NONE ARE GENUINE WITHOUT IT!

Bear in mind KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes are made by the folks who gave you the JUNGLELAND Moving Pictures. Coupon inside every package of KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes explains how you can obtain another copy of JUNGLELAND.



## Kellogg's CORN FLAKES

Also makers of KELLOGG'S KRUMBLER and KELLOGG'S BRAN, cooked and krumbled



## SHIVE PRESIDENT OF ROTARY CLUB

ELECTED TO UNEXPIRED TERM OF B. O. BROWN, RETIRING HEAD.

T. H. Shive was elected this noon to the presidency of the Vernon Rotary Club to fill the unexpired term of Buford O. Brown, resigned, who will go to Elkhart this week to make his home. Mr. Shive's term of office will continue until April.

The county judge and commissioners' court were guests this noon at the weekly luncheon of the organization. Short talks were made by each of the Rotarian representatives.

New members welcomed into the Rotary club today were J. W. Leary, manager of a delivery service station, J. L. Swartzwood, hardware dealer, and W. C. Orr, farm implement merchant. Each member of the body agreed to purchase two season tickets to the high school baseball games this spring. Twelve Rotarians have pledged themselves to attend the district convention to be held in Mineral Wells March 27 and 28.

### GIVEN FAREWELL SHOWER.

Mrs. B. O. Brown honored Monday Afternoon by Delightful Function at Although Home.

Mrs. B. O. Brown was hostess Monday afternoon at her home on South Main street for a delightful miscellaneous shower given in honor of Mrs. B. O. Brown who will shortly move to Elkhart with her family. Mrs. B. O. Brown was formerly editor and manager of the Vernon Record. In the evening the yesterday were Mesdames S. W. McFarley, Emory Rhoads, R. D. L. Kilgough, B. O. Brown, and Miss Bernice Works.

Miss Emma Rhoads, Mrs. Y. H. Babashin, and Mrs. Cy Long served the guests with a salad course, and the hostess was assisted in receiving by Mrs. G. W. Backus, Mrs. L. D. Terrell, and Mrs. John Morris. Organizations of which Mrs. Brown is a member, the Musicians' Club, Home Science Club, and Missionary Ladies of the Methodist Church were guests of the occasion.

A delightful musical program was given under the direction of Mrs. W. N. Stokes. Mrs. John Brown rendered a violin solo, Mrs. C. J. Farrell gave a reading, Mrs. W. N. Stokes gave a piano solo, as did Mrs. Chancey Puckett. Miss Bernice Works and Mrs. E. C. Christian sang a duet, and a piano trio was rendered by Mesdames Harry Colby, Emory Rhoads, and Cy Long. Valentine decorations adorned the rooms of the residence. Mrs. Brown was made the recipient of many lovely presents.

An excellent speech of presentation to the honored guest was made by Mrs. J. N. Johnson in behalf of those present. The gifts were brought into the room on a tea wagon by little Misses Dorothy Rogers and Josephine Kilgough.

### RED CROSS SPENDS BUSY WEEK AIDING COUNTY NEEDY

Fourteen visits to needy families in the county were made last week by the Wilbarger County Red Cross. Those in charge of relief work answered 49 telephone calls for information and relief. Four families were supplied with groceries.

In addition, 41 garments were distributed to three families, and three pairs of shoes given away. This work was attended to by Miss Esther Swartzwood and Mrs. L. E. McCurdy.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for their kind assistance during the illness and the death of our beloved wife, mother, daughter and sister. We also extend thanks for the beautiful floral offering.

MR. AND MRS. M. J. MARSHALL, BERNICE FLORA MARSHALL, MR. AND MRS. M. J. MARSHALL, MR. AND MRS. E. W. PATTON, MR. AND MRS. C. L. PATTON, MR. AND MRS. H. R. PATTERSON, MR. A. ASHLEY, MRS. S. ORMS.

### Entertains T. G. Bridge Club.

Miss Ruth Walker was hostess Saturday to the T. G. Bridge Club and invited as guests Misses Louise Weatherall, Ruby Seals, Ann Bennett, and Edith Whately. Miss Louise Bonner won high score for the occasion. Following cards refreshments were served. Miss Louise Bonner will be hostess to members next Saturday.

### Quinn Girls Try For Title.

Quinn school girls will contest in basketball Friday, February 17 with When high school girls at Quinn for the state title. The game will begin at 8 p. m. and in case of rain it will be postponed to Saturday.

## Distribution of Income

By GEORGE E. ROBERTS

(From the Monthly Bulletin Issued by The National City Bank of New York for February)

ONE of the most interesting questions to which statisticians have devoted study is that as to the total economic production and its distribution. What becomes of the industrial output of the country? For whose benefit does this great industrial organization function? In whose service are the thousands of factories running and the railroads kept in operation? For whose ultimate benefit are the great sums of capital raised, as represented by the daily bond and stock flotations, and the great industrial works projected? Do a few owners reap the benefits or are they widely diffused?

Studies of this subject have been made from time to time by individual investigators, but the amount of available data has been very much increased in this country by the enlargement of the work of the census and by income returns required by the government as the basis of taxation.

Of course it is very desirable that all such studies shall be conducted by parties whose findings will inspire confidence and be generally accepted.

### National Bureau of Economic Research, Inc.

For the purpose of creating an organization for economic investigation whose findings would be generally accepted as trustworthy the "National Bureau of Economic Research, Inc." was organized in New York in 1920. The Board of Directors made up of economists—connected with Yale, Harvard, Columbia, Wisconsin, California and Michigan universities, together with persons representing certain well known organizations, as the American Economic Association, American Federation of Farm Bureaus, American Federation of Labor, the Engineering Council, American Bankers Association, Intercollegiate Socialistic Society, American Statistical Association, etc.

It was determined that the first study should be into the distribution of current income, and the results are now published in two volumes. It is possible to give only a brief statement of the results here, but every one interested should at least make an examination of Volume I.

### A Conclusive Showing

In the table showing the "division of combined net value product of mines, factories and land transportation between earnings of employees and the returns for management and the use of property" we find definite information, well authenticated, as to the division of the industrial product at least so far as the organized industries in which large capital and great numbers of wage-earners are employed. It shows that in the ten years under examination wages and salaries absorbed from 66.7 to 77.3 per cent of the total values produced in these industries, the remainder going to the owners and others supplying capital. This,

as the report properly points out, is the showing for the going industries; it does not include industries which have failed, shut down and made no reports of operations. A complete showing of the net return for capital in all industries would require that these losses be included.

Of course the share of capital as shown, ranging from 22.7 to 33.3 and averaging for the ten years 28.8, did not all go to rich people. The stocks and bonds of corporations are a com-

bound to be maintained for the best interests of all; if the equilibrium is disturbed, the normal exchange of goods and services is interrupted, and although wages may be nominally high they are actually low when unemployment and the cost of living are taken into account. The latter is the state of things existing today.

The situation tends under the free play of natural forces to make the necessary adjustments and come into balance. The products and services which all classes have for exchange must be so valued to each other that the exchanges can be made. Wages must be high enough to enable the wage-earning class to buy and consume their normal share of the industrial product; otherwise products will accumulate and business will be bad. Likewise, farm products must have a purchasing power compared with other things that will allow the great body of people who live on the farms to take their usual share of goods, or unemployment in the other industries will result. Thus, every class, instead of being interested in fixing its own compensation without regard to the effect upon others, is interested in that right adjustment of values which enables the exchanges to be completely made, and in that manner serves the common interest.

When this idea of the necessary balance throughout industry is fully understood, the costly controversies and trials of strength, the "bloes" and various devices for imposing the will of small groups upon the community, will be seen to have been wholly misconceived and ineffective.

### The Way of Real Progress

The way of real progress is not by petty efforts to "make work" or advance the interests of each group at the expense of the others, for these have the net result of multiplying each other and obstructing all progress, but by the improvement of methods, making labor more effective everywhere, thus bringing more of the comforts of life within the reach of everybody. Every individual, whether he be employer or employee, who does not lend his efforts in good faith to accomplish this end is unfaithful to his social obligations.

When it is realized that seven-tenths to three-fourths of the industrial product goes direct for personal service, it will be appreciated how great are the gains to labor from industrial progress. Every invention, every installation, every investment of capital that increases the industrial output increases the income of labor by approximately three-quarters of the amount.

Conversely, every scheme for reducing the efficiency of labor or compelling the unnecessary employment of labor, thereby increasing industrial costs, offsets and nullifies the achievements of inventors and industrial leaders, and slows down the rate of social progress.

The final estimate of average income per capita, and purchasing power at price level of 1913, for the years 1909 to 1918, is as follows:

Year	Population in Millions	National Income in Billion Dollars	Income Per Capita in Dollars	Purchasing Power at Price Level of 1913 in Dollars
1909	90.37	\$28.8	\$319	\$301
1910	92.23	31.4	340	322
1911	93.81	31.2	333	317
1912	95.34	33.9	356	332
1913	97.20	34.6	356	334
1914	99.19	37.2	375	350
1915	100.43	36.0	358	352
1916	101.72	43.4	426	409
1917	103.06	53.9	523	498
1918	104.18	61.0	586	568

The per capita incomes show what would come to each person if all incomes were lumped together and the sum divided equally to the population of the country.

mon form of investment for people of all classes, and the bonds are very largely held by savings banks and life insurance companies. Moreover, an important share of the net earnings of the industries is devoted by the owners to enlarging the industries and improving the equipment, which redounds to the benefit of the public.

### Distribution Governed by Economic Law

The lesson to be found in this study of incomes is that they are governed

The following table shows the "division of combined net value product of mines, factories and land transportation, between earnings of employees and returns for management and the use of property." The results are given in millions of dollars and also in percentages of the net value of the product, as follows:

Year	Wages and Salaries in Millions of Dollars	Management and Property in Millions of Dollars	Per Cent Wages and Salaries	Per Cent Management and Property
1909	\$6,481	\$2,950	68.7	31.3
1910	7,156	3,250	68.8	31.2
1911	7,237	3,291	68.7	31.3
1912	7,993	3,169	71.6	28.4
1913	8,651	3,359	72.0	28.0
1914	9,947	3,867	72.3	27.7
1915	8,772	3,470	71.5	28.5
1916	11,630	5,810	66.7	33.3
1917	14,375	6,502	68.9	31.1
1918	17,472	3,124	77.3	22.7

Note: In this table "wages and salaries" includes pensions, compensation for accident, etc.; "management and property" includes rentals, royalties, interest and dividends.

by economic law, and not, as commonly assumed, by arbitrary power. They are not, in any general sense, within the control of employers, either singly or as a body, to fix as they please; nor can the general wage level be materially changed by or organization among wage-earners. There are certain relationships throughout industry, which in the long run are

### Want International Highway.

An International Automobile Highway leading from Austin to the City of Mexico should be constructed as soon as possible, according to the executive committee of the Texas Chamber of Commerce, which has officially gone on record as favoring this project.

This highway would put automobile tourists of the United States in direct connection with such cities as Monterey, Saltillo, and San Luis Potosi, and bring thousands of tourists to Texas annually.

### Entertains Saturday Club.

Mrs. Catherine Waggoner was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club Saturday at her home on South Lamar street. Guests other than members were Misses Juanita and Oleta Youngblood. Mrs. Herbert Farrell won high score, and Miss Juanita Youngblood won high score for guests. A salad course was served.

G. B. Lefler of Dallas was in Vernon Monday.

## FIGURES WON'T LIE—But—LIARS WILL FIGURE

—Statistics say that somebody's home burns every two minutes. How about your home? Are you insured? If not, see Old Mc.

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Crowd Every Counter And Corner Of Our Store—Not In Years Have Stocks Been So Complete, So Interesting—So Normal In Prices.

What a joy it is to present this fine new assemblage of spring merchandise, with the full realization that everything is the best obtainable of its class and kind, with the added comfort and confidence that comes with knowing that every price is fair and at its fixed position.

### Many New Models In Spring Dresses.

Only one of each model, but what a refreshing privilege to inspect the new dresses and enjoy them. So early in the season. We're glad to show these new ones any day at \$19.50 to \$49.50.

### Charming New Models In Suits.

So new, so becoming are these new suits, that you can not help becoming enthusiastic over them when you see them—new ones are arriving every day—See them at \$29.50 to \$49.50.

### New Percales at 10c Yard.

This is a good soft quality percale and comes in light patterns only—stripes, dots, and figures suitable for spring aprons and house dresses—width 25 inches at 10c Yd.

### 23-Inch Chevoits at 20c Yard.

This cloth comes in solid colors and stripes suitable for every day shirts and play suits. The colors are fast and the patterns good—20c Yard.

### Special Value Crash Toweling.

This week we are offering our 25c grade crash toweling at the special price of 15c Yard—This is an excellent cloth and should sell readily at 15c Yard.

**Perkins-Timberlake Co.**  
ASSOCIATED STORES  
VERNON, TEXAS

### T. J. GRIFFITHS ANNOUNCES SELF FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE

T. J. Griffiths, present justice of the peace of precinct number one, offers himself for re-election subject to Democratic primaries of next July. Mr. Griffiths has lived in Wilbarger county thirty-five years.

The present justice has been a taxpayer ever since he came to this vicinity, and has rendered conscientious service in the performance of his public duties. He is well-known throughout this section and for years has been considered one of the most influential of local citizens.

### Entertains Saturday Club.

Saturday Bridge Club members met Saturday with Mrs. Cy Long at her home on North Nabers street. Five guests other than members were asked by the hostess. They were Mesdames Dee Norwood, R. D. L. Kilgough, Emory Rhoads, T. A. King, and Miss Bernice Works. Mrs. Everett Haney won high score for members, and Mrs. T. A. King for guests. Refreshments were served following cards.

### Entertains For Entre Nous.

Miss Beulah Ladd was hostess Friday afternoon at her home on East Wilbarger street to the Entre Nous Bridge Club. High score for members was won by Miss Frances Greever and Miss Charlie May Northcraft received low score. High score for guests was attained by Miss Holt. An ice course was served for refreshments.

G. C. Probasco of Paducah visited in Vernon Sunday.

Miss Laura Randall, formerly in the office of the Vernon Chamber of Commerce, is now private secretary to Byron Johnson, manager of the Electric

Get your Tanlac where they've got it. T. M. Ferguson Drug Co.

"I have taken eight bottles of Tanlac and have actually gained 40 pounds in weight and feel better and stronger than I have felt before in twenty-five years," says O. H. Mahaffy, of Nashville, Tenn. Sold in Vernon by Ferguson Drug Company. Adv. Itc

Tanlac will overcome that run down debilitated condition and make you feel just like your old self again. Sold at T. M. Ferguson Drug Co. Itc

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lee of Paducah visited in Vernon Sunday. Sam Lee conducted a laundry in Vernon nearly twenty years ago, and is considering moving back here.

## PLOWING TIME IS HERE

Harness of guaranteed quality pays. We make them and can show you a good assortment.

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HARDWARE & HARNESS  
THE MINCHESTER STORE, VERNON, TEXAS



## DISTRICT TITLES BEING DETERMINED

FINAL TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD  
IN AUSTIN MARCH 3  
AND 4.

Austin, Texas, Feb. 14. District championships have already been determined in the University of Texas interscholastic league state basketball series. In district No. 2 the Elgin school at Dallas has won out over such large schools as Lubbock and Plainview. By defeating Odessa in a close contest, Dees won the honors of District No. 14, and is now scheduled to meet El Paso, champion of district 19, in a half-district game for the right to participate in the final tournament March 3 and 4 at Austin.

This week will see championships settled in all of the other districts, and district contests will be next in order. The cups and medals to be awarded the winners at Austin have been ordered and will be on hand in time for the tournament. The team winning the state championship will be presented with a large silver loving cup and the runners-up with a smaller one.

Each member of the championship team will receive a gold medal and the runners-up silver medals.

An all-star selection will be made and special gold medals given. The players displaying the best example of sportsmanship during the tournament will also be awarded with a gold medal. This award is said to be prized highly and to stimulate clean play throughout the series. Cohen of El Paso won this honor last year.

### Fargo News

Fargo, Feb. 11. (By special correspondence.)—The Christian Church was threatened by the fire at Fargo last week. Several holes were burned in the roof, but the flaming shingles were torn off. Trustees and patrons are working to get the Methodist and Christian Churches in which to teach the remainder of the term.

The Baptist Ladies Aid Society met at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon and rendered an interesting program. Mrs. R. E. Harrell was leader.

A Baptist social is planned at the home of Mrs. R. E. Harrell Wednesday night, Feb. 22.

Mrs. D. L. Lovelace is teaching music at Hinds two days of each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Haynes and family of Odell spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Walls and family.

Mrs. C. L. Shearer, who was operated on for appendicitis, has returned home.

The Red River senior class and Fargo seniors played basket ball on the local court Tuesday afternoon. The score was 22 to 11 in favor of Red River.

Grandma Bradstreet of Shamrock is

### WEDDING ON BEACH IS PERFORMED IN WEST.



Here is something new in nuptials. A California maid and her lover, wishing to be different, arranged to have the knot tied on the beach near Los Angeles which they both frequented during the days of their courtship. The couple, Mr. and Mrs. Del Carmen, were married by the Reverend Dr. C. D. Cole.

visiting friends and relatives in Fargo. Mr. and Mrs. Connie Olive spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Olive's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stowe of Odell.

Fargo senior girls and Hinds girls played basketball at Hinds Friday afternoon. The score was 9 to 8 in favor of Hinds.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey entertained the young people with a party Friday night.

The Odd Fellows lodge met at the W. O. W. Hall Tuesday night. Hal Olive, E. G. Adkins, and A. B. Walls attended lodge at Odell Tuesday night.

Frank Mason returned Thursday from Fort Worth with his truck loaded with Dr. Rogers' household goods. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mason are moving on his father's place near Fargo.

Record classified ads bring results

### 1921 ROAD PROJECTS

#### ENOUGH TO GIRDLE EARTH

Eleven thousand nine hundred and thirty miles of Federal-aid roads were constructed under the joint supervision of the Federal Government and the State during 1921, according to reports of the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture. Federal money amounting to \$91,057,089 was allotted to these roads, the total cost of which was \$231,963,482. In this mileage there is included 8,595 miles in projects wholly completed and the equivalent of 3,335 miles of work done on projects which are not wholly completed. Every State shared in the benefits of this work.

The projects under way during the year amounted to 31,228 miles, which was about one-half of all the road work carried on in the United States during the year. A fair idea of the magnitude of the road work done un-

der the supervision of the Department of Agriculture last year may be gained when it is understood that the total mileage is considerably more than enough to encircle the earth, that it is equal to more than 10 per cent of all the improved roads previously existing in the United States, and that it is equal to nearly 8 per cent of the entire road system of France. At this rate we would be able to build the equivalent of France's entire road system in 12 years.

We show you just the hat you want at the price you wish to pay. Naylor's Millinery. 9-2c

A check signed by J. Fenimore Cooper, drawn on the Otsego County Bank of Cooperstown, New York, has come into the possession of the State Historical Society of South Dakota. It bears the date of March 1, 1846.

### Money To Loan.

I have arranged for \$2,000,000.00 to loan on farms. No delay. Cash is ready when title is passed.  
103-161c T. P. LISMAN.

We will positively prosecute wood thieves and trespassers on our land known as the M. W. Bogar Ranch.—  
BUTCHER & TAYLOR. 8-4p

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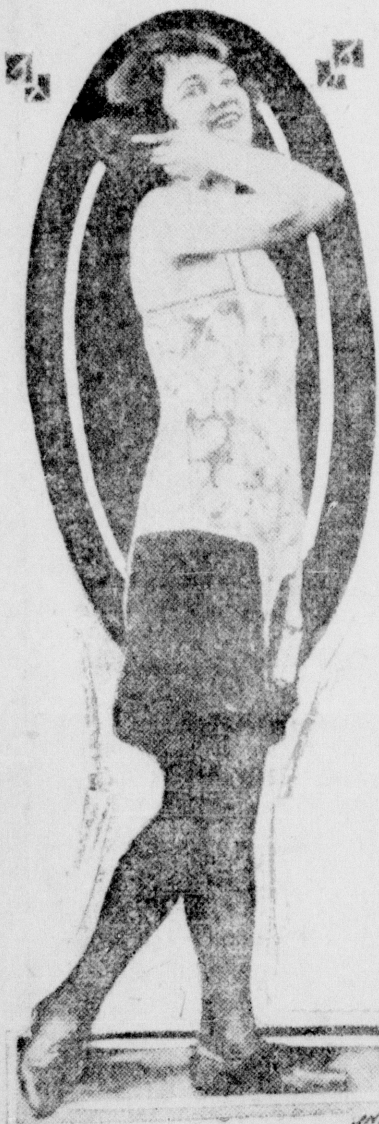
Direct, sympathetic human interest makes the best system better.

No organization, however perfect it may be, can attain its object by substituting mechanical efficiency for the human touch.

At this bank personal attention develops a personal interest in your business that improves our ability to serve you adequately and well.

## FARMERS STATE BANK

### CORSET FOR PRINCESS HAS GOLD BUCKLES



This corset, recently exhibited at the Fashion Show in New York City, is to be given Princess Mary for her trousseau. The corset has a braided of gold and silver brocaded cloth and is finished with solid gold buckles, hooks and eyes. Princess Mary, who is to wed Viscount Lascelles February 28, will receive the corset as a wedding gift. Miss Thelma Foss is here shown displaying it.



Suits that emphasize in most pleasing ways the new silhouette for Spring. It is difficult to define the dominant trend as individuality seems to be the keynote.

\$22.50 to \$69.50

# Ready to Wear Week

During this week we have arranged for your convenient viewing the cream of the new Spring modes developed in the most favored of the season's fabrics.

Famous fashion arbiters have stamped these garments "authoritative," hence they represent what best dressed women everywhere will wear for the coming months.

Coats this season exceed in both beauty of material and attractiveness in design any that we have ever shown. And we feel that no woman can afford to miss this showing. Prices to please.

An ample range of styles and materials have been provided for your choice so that no matter what your requirements they may be exactly supplied from our Spring stocks.

Dresses are being shown which we believe you cannot equal either in workmanship or material, at the prices we are quoting. And with our ample range of sizes, perfect fitting is easy.

\$25.00 to \$85.00

\$25.00 to \$75.00

# MURRAY'S SHOP



## RAIL WAY TIME TABLE.

## —Denver Northbound—

No. 7 ..... 5:35 a. m.  
No. 1 ..... 4:25 p. m.

## —Denver Southbound—

No. 8 ..... 12:55 a. m.  
No. 2 ..... 1:25 p. m.

## —Frisco Outbound—

No. 622 for Enid—connections at  
Snyder for Okla. City ..... 8:40 a. m.  
No. 618 for Oklahoma City ..... 8:40 p. m.

## —Frisco Inbound—

No. 621 from Enid, Okla. .... 4:50 p. m.  
No. 617 from Okla. City ..... 6:20 a. m.

## Notice for Bids on Oak Bridge Flooring

Bids will be received at the office of E. L. McHugh, County Judge of Wilbarger County, in Vernon, Texas, up to 10 a. m., Saturday, February 18th, 1922, on eighty-one thousand feet B. M. (81,000 B. M. feet) clear white oak bridge flooring, size 2 1/2 inches by 10 inches by 16 feet. Bidders may submit proposals on other classes of oak bridge flooring if they desire, but they must specify in their bids the kind they propose to furnish. The thickness of flooring shall not vary more than 1/8 inch from the specified thickness. The county reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

7-31c E. L. McHUGH, County Judge.

Misses Ruby Williams of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Williams and her sister, Mrs. Dan Bomar.

## Home Economics Club To Meet

The Home Economics Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Miss Geraldine Parker at her home on West Wilbarger street. Members are urged to be present.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nine-room house on West Wilbarger street, one block from square. See or write J. H. Jordan, Route 3 Vernon. 9-31p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Two blocks from square. Phone 271. 10c

FOR RENT—A close in apartment on best street in town. Two, three or four rooms, well furnished, has telephone, lights, garage and garden space. A bargain to right party. Apply before Thursday 10th. Phone 436. 11c

FOR RENT—Six room house close in, partially furnished. See E. P. Robertson or phone 297 or 670. 10-31p

FOR RENT—4 room modern house. See R. V. Manis, Phone 348. 11p

FOR RENT—3 modern unfurnished rooms, rent reasonable. C. V. McDonald, South Lexington Street. 11c

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished light-housekeeping rooms close in to couple without children. Phone 453. 11c

FOR RENT—Nice 3-room cottage with bath. West Vernon. \$5.00. Davis, Webb & Summerour. 10-31p

FOR RENT—Rooms nicely furnished for light housekeeping, to couple without children. Phone 706. 9-41p

## Lost, Strayed or Stolen

—LOST—Between Farrell Oil Co. and F. W. & D. C. depot, a wagon sheet. Finder please leave at Farrell Oil Co. 8-31p

LOST—Saturday afternoon about three o'clock on West Wilbarger or on the Rayland road a red suit case containing baby's clothes and some kodak pictures, which had the name "Mrs. T. L. Paulk." Finder please return to Record office. 8-31p

STRAYED—from my home near Oklaunion Jan. 22, one black, bold face horse, height 14 1/2 hands, weight about 800 lbs.—R. H. YARBROUGH, Oklaunion, Texas. 7-4p-fr

FOUND—On Lockett road Thursday, February 8, one pair steel bed rails. Owner may have same by calling at Record office and paying for this ad. 10-31p

FOUND—Saturday night—Shriners' pin. Owner call at Record office and pay for ad. Call Roy Davis Phone 78c. 21c

LOST—Large Elk tooth, unmounted. Finder deliver to Fred Russell at Russell's and receive reward. 10-31p

LOST—Between Paradise creek and Walter Baker's press wheel to a planter. Finder return same to Wilhelm Implement Company and receive reward. 9-31p

## FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Nice lot on South Main street 8x120. See Luttrell at Peoples Grocery Co. 8-31c

## FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—S. C. R. I. Red eggs, \$1.00 for setting of 15. Mrs. Claude Justin, Phone 509. 10-31p

FOR SALE—1500 bu. red oats, 1000 bu. ear corn, also wish to trade one table grand Hale piano; cost when new, \$1,500, for Fordson tractor Ford car or Ford truck. Write me today what you have or come 16 miles north of Vernon, 7 miles east of Odell. Claude Hamilton. 7-41p

FOR SALE—A few settings of White Rock eggs, \$1.00 for setting of 15. Mrs. Anderson C. Smith, Phone 522. 8-10-21

FOR SALE—Piano, dining room suit and other nice furniture, slightly used.—H. L. COLEMAN. 7-6c

## WANTED

When wanting hemstitching done please call No. 642. We call for your work 10-3 Tues.

WANTED—Are services of capable young man worth one dollar a day to you? High school graduate, general merchandise experience, good mechanic, want steady work or any kind. P. O. Box 1283. 11p

WANTED—Active men or women who have some idea for running business among the people and doing general managing, nice employment and quick results. Meet the general manager at 9:30 a. m., Feb. 15, in the office of Justice Griffiths on second floor of court house, Vernon, Texas. 11p

HAULING—I have a Red Speed Wagon, will move or haul anything anywhere. Long hauls a specialty. Charges reasonable. Day phone 245. Night phone 573. O. Clemlinger at Coco Cola Bottling Co. 10-31p

WANTED—Maggie and Jiggs are wanted at once at the Star Cash Grocery, 1010 East Marshall street, where they are selling this week, 14 pounds of sugar for \$1; kerosene 10c gallon; hominy 10c can; pork and beans 10c can and chili 7c can. The Grumps and Mutt and Jeff have already been there and made their bargain purchases. Special prices on everything in the house. 10-11c

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars.—D. F. GUSSE, Minneapolis, Minn. 102-Fri-13-c

## Constable's Sale.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued by T. J. Griffiths, Justice of Peace, Precinct No. One of Wilbarger County, on the 10th day of February, 1922, in a certain cause wherein M. W. Roger, plaintiff, and M. Cain defendant in favor of the said plaintiff and numbered 4208 on the docket of said court for the sum of eighty-eight and seventeen one hundredths dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per centum per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of a judgment recovered by the said M. W. Roger plaintiff in the justice court, Precinct No. One, Wilbarger County, on the 20th day of January, 1922, I have levied upon, and will, on the 21st day of said month, at M. W. Roger place about 6 miles northwest of Vernon, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of M. Cain in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of M. Cain to-wit: One roan cow and calf and being same cow and calf sold to defendant by plaintiff. The above sale to be made by me to satisfy one above described judgment for Eighty Eight and seventeen one hundredths (\$88.17) Dollars, in favor of M. W. Roger, together with the cost of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof. H. C. JUSTIN, Constable Precinct No. One, Wilbarger County Texas. February 10, 1922—Vernon, Texas

## Constable's Sale.

By virtue of a certain execution issued by T. J. Griffiths, Justice of the peace of Precinct No. One of Wilbarger County, on the 28th day of January, 1922, in a certain cause wherein W. H. Stephens, plaintiff, and W. D. Covington, defendant in favor of the said plaintiff and numbered 6294 on the docket of said court for the sum of thirty dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of six per centum per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of a judgment recovered by the said W. H. Stephens, plaintiff in the justice court Precinct No. One, Wilbarger County, on the 20th day of December 1921, I have levied upon, and will, on the 21st day of said month, 1922, it being the 18th day of said month, S. W. Corner of N. 1/2 Section 33 in Block 14 H. & T. C. R. R. Co. Survey, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of W. D. Covington in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of W. D. Covington, to-wit: One bit shop 16 by 24 feet and

engine room connected to bit shop, built of lumber; One shack 14 by 20 feet covered with tar paper built of lumber; One privy 4 by 5 feet built of lumber located on S. W. Corner of N. 1/2 of Section No. 33, Block No. 14 H. & T. C. R. R. Co. Survey in Wilbarger County, Texas. The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars, in favor of W. H. Stephens, together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof. H. C. JUSTIN, Constable Precinct No. One, Wilbarger County, Texas. 8-21 Tues.

Record classified ads bring results.

Vernon Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., meets 2nd and 4th Thursday nights each month. E. M. Haney, W. M. O. O. McCurdy, Secretary. Visitors cordially invited. There will be a called meeting Tuesday, February 7, at 7:30 p. m.

Vernon Chapter No. 192, R. A. M., meets 4th Friday night of each month. J. N. Fulcher, H. P., E. L. Witty, Secretary. Visitors cordially invited.

Vernon Council No. 130, R. & S. Masters meets 1st Friday night of each month. W. M. Hampton, Jr., T. I. M., E. L. Witty, Secretary. Visitors cordially invited.

Vernon Commandery No. 33, K. T. meets 4th Tuesday night of each month. J. M. Napier, R. C., W. H. Huggins, Recorder. Visitors cordially invited.

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# ESTELLINE TAKES DISTRICT TITLE HERE SATURDAY

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ball through the loop for eight points in a minute and a half.

The teams lined up as follows:

	F. G.	F. T.
Estelline	2	4
E. Adams	4	0
Bowman	1	0
Rogers	0	0
C. Adams	0	0
McCollum	1	0

	F. G.	F. T.
Quinn	1	1
Marshall	3	0
Fairless	0	0
Gray	0	0
Gilliland	0	0
Neal	0	0

One Of Best Games.  
In the semi-finals played Saturday morning spectators entered one of the best games of the tournament when Harold nosed out Crowell in a hard fought game 38 to 23 by a sport that placed the Ford county team out of running. The contest was spectacular with tosses on the part of both teams that sent their adherents into frenzies of cheering.

At one time in the first half the score was 13 apiece, but Harold annexed six more counters before the period ended. To Hale and Kee must go the bulk of credit for the Harold victory, although Neal also performed creditably at center. Beverly of Crowell, diminutive forward, and Hayes at center, starred for Crowell.

Lineups for the semi-finals Saturday morning were:

	F. G.	F. T.
Harold	6	7
Hale	2	0
Neal	3	1
Kee	4	0
Shoever	0	0

	F. G.	F. T.
Crowell	3	5
Beverly	2	0
Jones	4	0
Hayes	0	0
White	0	0
Carter	0	0
Cates	0	0

## HEALTH FAIR TO APPEAR THROUGHOUT THE STATE

Austin, Texas, Feb. 14.—Many Texas children will be made happy by the "Health Fairy", scheduled to appear in this State in March, according to Miss Jean Pinckney, of the home economics extension division of the University of Texas, who has charge of the itinerary of the "Fairy." Miss Anne Raymond is sent out by the Child Health Organization of America, and costumed as a fairy, she entertains the children and arouses their interest in playing the health game with her. Requests have come from various parts of the State where communities wish to have the "Health Fairy." Miss Pinckney stated, and arrangements have been made for her appearance in each instance either under the auspices of the Mothers' Congress and Parent-Teachers' Association or the Federation of Women's clubs.

Because of her personal beauty and charm, the "Health Fairy" is able to make a special appeal to children to learn the secret of happiness by following the health rules it is stated. Among other devices in her fairy setting is a playhouse to be built for the children by the health and nutrition rules. Performances by the "Fairy" are usually given in the afternoon and valuable health talks are later given in conference with superintendents, teachers and others, including nurses and parents. Special invitations are extended to the first five grades in the schools, and older children are permitted to attend if the size of the auditorium permits.

Girl To Oklahoma Couple.  
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bourland of Oklahoma are the parents of a girl born to them Thursday, February 9.

**YOU READ the Other Fellow's Ad**

You are reading this one. That should convince you that advertising in these columns is a profitable proposition. The fact that the other fellow advertises is probably the reason he is getting more business than is falling to you. Would it not be well to give the other fellow a chance?

**To Read Your Ad in These Columns?**

## SOLUTION OF FILM DIRECTOR'S MURDER IS SOUGHT



William Desmond Taylor, noted moving picture director, who was mysteriously murdered in his bungalow at Los Angeles. His assassin shot him from behind while Taylor was sitting at his desk.

Mabel Normand, film actress and neighbor of the slain man, told police of having been at Taylor's bungalow the evening before he was found slain. She said Taylor escorted her to her automobile shortly before 9 p. m. Miss Edna Purviance, another film actress and also a neighbor, told police she saw a light burning in Taylor's home at midnight.

## ROSE WONDER AND DOCTORS TO ELECTRA

Rose Wonder and her doctor associates left today for Electra, after having spent several days at the Hotel in Vernon.

"We have experienced a wonderful success during our brief visit with you people," said the "miracle woman," as she had a company of local citizens good-bye at the hotel. "It was our intention to spend only three days in your city, but the liberal patronage and many visits by the good citizens of your town and county overwhelmed us and persuaded us to remain here longer."

At the age of seven this remarkable woman began her career as a diagnostician and her success has grown by leaps and bounds. Her success has been due solely to the effectiveness of her work.

## A Card of Thanks.

To our many friends and our relatives, we wish to convey our heartfelt thanks and deep appreciation for the words of sympathy and many acts of kindness, together with the beautiful floral offerings received, in connection with the death of our daughter and sister. We assure you that our burden was made lighter by these evidences of sympathy and friendship.

J. B. SMITH and Family.

McHugh Candidate For Re-election.  
E. L. McHugh, present county judge, was authorized The Vernon Record to announce him as a candidate for re-election subject to the Democratic primaries of next July. Mr. McHugh has lived in Wilbarger county many years and is widely known throughout this section.

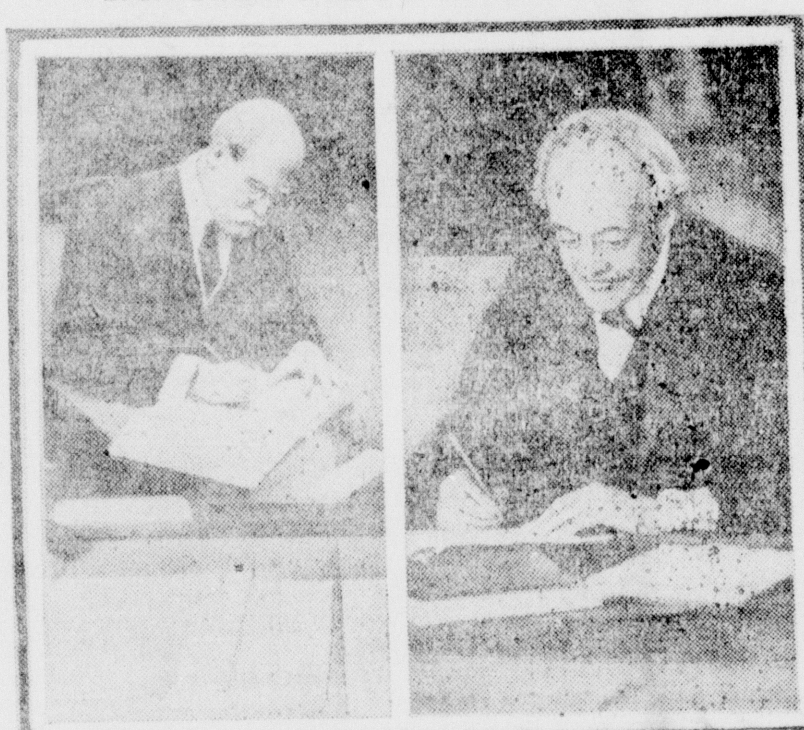
Entertains Tuesday Club.  
Miss Oleta Youngblood will be hostess this afternoon at her home on W. Wilbarger street to the Tuesday Bridge Club.

## MOVIE DIRECTOR'S VALET SOUGHT BY POLICE



Edward F. Sands, also known as Edward Fitz Strathmore, former valet for William Desmond Taylor, prominent movie director who was found slain in his Los Angeles home, is sought by police for questioning in connection with the crime. Sands previously had been charged by Taylor with larceny, having stolen several articles from Taylor's home.

## SIGN TREATY AS CONFERENCE CLOSES.



Secretary Hughes and Arthur James Balfour, head of the British delegation, affixing their signatures to the historic treaty at the close of the Disarmament Conference.

## 'N THE KU KLUX'LL GIT HIM IF HE DON'T WATCH OUT!

"I have no quarrel with the Knights of the Invisible Empire," says W. A. Lane, prominent Vernon citizen, fervently, "and I try to lead the kind of life that will not bring upon my head the condemnation of my fellow men. But do you know," and this with a dab or two at his forehead with a pocket handkerchief, "I sometimes feel that maybe I am a marked man."

Even the most skeptical must admit that Mr. Lane has a substantial basis upon which to base his belief. Two weeks ago, while making an announcement from the pulpit of the Vernon Baptist church, there suddenly appeared in the doorway of the auditorium the dread figure of a representative from the Ku Klux. As he trod stealthily down the aisle toward the rostrum there came in close succession eight of his fellows who silently formed an arc before the speaker and waited until he should finish his announcement.

Prove Disconcerting.  
Mr. Lane gulped heavily several times, and strove manfully to remember the remaining gist of his message to the congregation. The white robed figures, although few in number, appeared to fill the crowded auditorium, and furthermore, there are few more disconcerting objects than a sheeted personage when one is trying to announce a meeting of the deacons or a gathering of the young people's society.

In view of the exigency, Mr. Lane did the natural thing. Noting that the congregation had ceased to be further concerned with the church budget for the coming year or the missionary expected in April, he deemed discretion the better part of valor and desisted. The image of his past life flitted before him as though he were a drowning man. He recalled each deed performed in business and social life, and reviewed every incident that might have provoked a visit from the Ku Klux. In vain his worst offense had consisted in keeping chickens, that refused to scratch in his own yard.

It was with relief that the hardware merchant discovered that he bore no relation to the unexpected visit at the church, and was not even remotely con-

sidered in the message from the delegation. And so—after a careful notation in his diary when bedtime came, the incident was catalogued as merely a novel experience in daily life.

## MAKE DETERMINED EFFORT FOR FUNDS

RED CROSS WILL USE EVERY MEANS TO RETAIN NURSING SERVICE.

"We plan to continue our drive for funds in the city and county," said Mrs. Bertha Ross, chairman of the Red Cross Home Service Section, this morning, "and will probably commence immediately in the city. Our primary interest, of course, will be in regard to the nursing service."

Mrs. Ross remarked that no appropriation was made by the county for this week as no statute could be found permitting such an expenditure of funds. Commissioners, she said, indicated their willingness to aid if possible, but a means to this end must be found first.

## Question Hall County.

A telephone call to Hall county this morning revealed that an attempt will be made there this week to determine whether or not the city and county can legally aid the Red Cross. Word will then be immediately forwarded the local chapter. The Wilbarger executive committee will meet this afternoon with city commissioners in an attempt to devise means of financing the chapter's work.

"Many persons," said Mrs. Ross, have no idea of the wonderful work done by our Red Cross nurse, Miss Rose Elmann. We are anxious that everyone learn to appreciate her efforts so they may better realize the pressing necessity for more funds."

## Central School Association Meets.

Members of the Central School Parent-Teachers' Association will meet Thursday, February 16 at 4 p. m. at the school building for the purpose of considering means of beautifying the school grounds. Members are urged to be present.

## County Federation Meets February 22.

The County Federation of Women's Clubs will meet Wednesday, February 22, at the Elks club rooms. This date was chosen on account of the Muslims' Club guest day February 21.

## D. B. Clapp To Paducah, Ky.

Rev. D. B. Clapp, formerly pastor of the Vernon Baptist Church, has left his Palestine pulpit to answer a call from Paducah Ky., according to advices received here.

## Boy Baby In Casey Family.

A boy was born Sunday, February 12 to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Casey, living in south Vernon. Mother and child are doing well.

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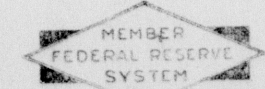
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